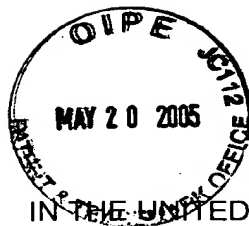


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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of : Gerhard HARTWICH
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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

[XXX] A CHECK FOR THE FEES INDICATED BELOW, BASED UPON THE APPLICANT'S SMALL ENTITY STATUS, ACCOMPANIES THIS RESPONSE.	
PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)	\$750
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In response to the official action mailed May 14, 2004 and the accompanying Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 151 and amend claims 127 and 135 as follows in which the claim additions are shown by underlining and/or the claim deletions are shown by strikeout or brackets. Please enter the amended claims into the record of this case.